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ARTISTIC PLANT PLANNED FOR REDWOOD CITY

What will probably be one of the most artistic factories in California will soon be in process of erection in Redwood City. The building will be built for a Los Angeles concern, who for the present, desire to keep their identity secret. The managers of the concern, however, were in town for a long time looking over the location, and have purchased a large tract of land on the highway and the railway, just south of town.

On the newly acquired tract they will construct a new style of factory. It will, in fact, be an extension of the bungalow court idea, now becoming so popular in dwelling. A large mission style building will be built around a court to which a driveway from the highway will connect on one side and a spur track from the railroad on the other.

A portion of this building will be used by the concern for their own use, as a cannery of food products. The other portions will be leased to other types of manufactories. The manager of the canning company, stated this week that he already knows of a silk mill which desires to lease a portion of the building and is ready to begin operations here, and it is sure that at least a half a dozen other factories will follow. The new building will, in fact, form a compact manufacturing city within itself.

"Work will be started about the first of the year," stated the manager of the canning company," and when completed this factory will be one of the beauty spots of the peninsula. It will be the finest thing in the way of a factory between San Francisco and Los Angeles."

It is the intention of the company to make their building here an advertisement to them for both the people passing on the highway and on the railway. No pains will be spared to make it attractive.

The manager of this concern has also purchased a lot in the Highlands and will begin immediately the construction of a dwelling for himself.

MUCH NOVELTY IN NEW SWANSON PRODUCTION

One of the greatest moments in her latest Paramount production, "Wages of Virtue," due at the Sequoia Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, December 17 and 18 is where Gloria Swanson, as Carmelita, gives a vivid interpretation of the famous "dance of the seven veils," for the hard-bitten soldiers of The Foreign Legion.

Swathed from head to foot in golf black veiling, the first veil of the seven over veils of lighter color, she not only proves by the grace and rythm of her postures that she is an accomplished exponent of the intoxicating beauty of the dance, but enacts a remorkable change of characterization as she ceases to be the exquisite litle mother of lost men and becomes the provocative, daring little cafe dancer, striving to amuse the worshipping legionnaires and make them forget the horrible boredom of the Algerian barrack town.

Another incident which is going to set a lot of Gloria Swanson fans puzzling, is how she manages to balance a bottle on her head while carrying on a conversation, a feat which she accomplishes perfectly.

The truth is that Miss Swanson only achieved this effect after arduous daily practice, so that she might enact the scene where she attempts to bribe a sergeant of the Foreign Legion with wine to spare her lover from punishment, with the same case that would be natural in a girl of the East, to whom carrying articles on the head is an everyday occurrence.

Teachers Insitute Here Next Week

The teachers' of San Mateo county will meet in the auditorium of the Sequoia High School for their annual institute this year on Monday. An interesting program has been outlined for the occasion, consisting chiefly of talks by teachers of the county on their particular line of work. The program for the local institute as announced this week will be as follows:

9:15 a. m. Music by Sequoia High School Orchestra.
Vocal Selections under the direction of Mr. Otis M. Carrington.

SYMPOSIUM

Problems of the Schools of San Mateo County:-
Administrative—Guy J. Roney, South San Francisco.
Junior College—Robert J. Hopkins, San Mateo.
High School — Miss Anna Neff, Redwood City.
Elementary School—Mrs. Gladys McLaughlin, Burlingame.
Rural School— John D. Gish, Woodside.
Demonstration of Physical Education—Miss Irene Bradley, Redwood City.
Meeting of San Mateo Teachers' Association.

Intermissoin

1:30 p. m. Music.
Announcements.
2:00 p. m.—Address: "The difference between a School Marm and a School Teacher."—Miss Florence Hale, Commissioner of Rural Schools for the State of Maine.
Business.
4:00 p. m. Adjournment.

Following the institute here the teachers will attend the three-day institute of teachers of the bay district being held in Oakland.

J. V. SWIFT IS ELECTED CHAIRMAN REDWOOD RED CROSS CHAPTER

James V. Swift was elected chairman of the Redwood City chapter of the Red Cross at a meeting held last Saturday night. Mrs. Z. T. Thorning was named vice-chairman at this meeting, Mary E. Winter, secretary, and F. K. Towne, treasurer. This is Mrs. Winter's twenty-second consecutive term as secretary of the chapter.

Three members elected to the executive board include C. M. Doxsee, Mrs. Viola Poole and D. W. Williams, while six directors were named to serve for three years as follows: Mrs. Zoe Thorpe, Mrs. Walter Baker, Mrs. Z. T. Thorning, Mrs. C. Drathman, J. V. Swift and M. E. Ryan.

LAS LOMITAS CHRISTMAS PARTY AT SCHOOL TONIGHT

The Las Lomitas Parent-Teachers Association will give a Christmas party tonight in the school. The first part of the evening, starting at 7 o'clock will be devoted to motion puictures in charge of Mrs. P. Davidson. The pictures will be followed at 9 o'clock by a children's hour in charge of Mrs. Bert Ragan. At 10 o'clock the evening will be given over to dancing which will be in charge of Mrs. E. H. Werthman.

NEW STORE FINDS GOOD FIELD READY

The new branch of the Ryan Drug store which has just been opened near Five Points is doing a rushing business, according to L. H. Winkler, manager and half owner of the new business. This is the first attempt to run a drug store in that vicinity, and it is meeting with great success. The new store is located in the building recently completed by A. Gherini on Main street.

"If you "only had the money," you'd probably do a lot of foolish things that you are unable to do now.

BAY BRIDGE TO BE COMPLETED BY END OF 1925

That actual construction work on the Dumbarton bridge to span the lower portion of San Francisco bay and connect the peninsula with the interior valley by a short highway, will soon be undertaken, is to be gathered by announcements made by the financing corporation which has the project in charge. The funds necessary for the construction of the bridge are already available, it is said, plans, specifications and surveys are now complete, the necessary franchies have been secured, and nothing now remains but to let the contract.

Bids for the construction of the big bridge are now being made and will be opened Wednesday. Immediately after the letting of the contract building operations will be started under the personal supervision of John Lysle Harington. It is thought that work will be started within sixty days. The bridge will be in operation by the end of next year, according to the announcements made this week by Harrington.

The holders of the stock in the newly formed company includes some of the best known financial men of the country.

FALSE BOOZE REPORTS CAUSE FLURRY IN COUNTY

What has been styled the wild imagination of an irresponsible cub reporter, connected with a S. F. paper last week threw several of the county offices into quite a flurry. The report was the story circulated in the county of the booze robbery staged in Pescadero, and the subsequent attack on the town by booze runners.

In speaking of the matter Sheriff McGovern characterized the whole story as a "pack of lies" and stated that no foundation for the story existed. "I have two of the best deputies in the county in Pescadero," he said, "Dr. Thompson and J. Williamson, and neither of these men know anything of the report. When asked to go with me and verify the story, the reporter refused to go and face the men from whom he claimed to have received the information. The whole thing is an attempt by this reporter to use me as the goat to get as big a story as have been appearing in other papers regarding booze runners in different parts of the state."

The same opinion is held by the district attorney, who has been receiving some criticism for not having the imaginery bootleggers arrested. Constable Moore of Pescadero, from whom the report was supposed to have come, upon hearing the story, came to Redwood City, to the office of the district attorney to find out the particulars. "Why all the information is supposed to have come from you," said District Attorney Swart. "I hadn't heard of it before," said Moore.

GRANTED DIVORCE

Mrs. Rose Bertolda, San Mateo, was granted an interlocutory divorce decree from Jack Bertolda by Superior Judge George H. Buck. The decree was obtained on grounds of failure to provide and gives Mrs. Bertolda custody of a minor child. She was represented by Attorney J. E. McCurdy, San Mateo. Bertolda did not appear in court.

PESCADERO PROPERTY TITLE IS DISPUTED

To determine title to 2,884 acres of land located on Pescadero Greek, near Pescadero, a suit was filed in the Superior court this week by Jose Machado Gomez, naming Mary E. McCormick et al as defendants. The latter are alleged to claim some interest in the property which is without right, in a complaint prepared by Attorney James T. O'Keefe



SHOWING AT
Sequoia Theatre
On Broadway, Redwood City
Wednesday-Thursday
DEC. 17-18
ADULTS 30c, CHILDREN 15c.

City Briefs

Harry Hatch, former sheriff of San Mateo county and now a resident of Burlingame, was a county seat visitor yesterday.

Attorney George C. Ross is at the Mills Memorial hospital, San Mateo, suffering with a severe attack of rheumatism. Mr. Ross has suffered from this for several years, but the present attack is extra severe.

Roy W. Cloud went to Los Angeles last night to attend a meeting of the State Council of Education of which he is a member. He will return home tomorrow.

School all over the county, and largely throughout the state, closed yesterday for the Christmas vacation. The teachers will attend institute next week and will then have two weeks' vacation. School will reopen January 5th, and the midterm examination for graduation will be on January 12th.

Frank Towne, Jr., who is attending school in Berkeley, was in Redwood City during the week, visiting his parents.

Berthold Werder returned Wednesday from a hurried trip to Los Angeles. Mrs. Werder is still in the southern city, where she was called by the serious illness of her mother.

County Recorder and Mrs. T. C. Rice, and the former's mother are visiting Mrs. Rice's sister, Mrs. G. W. Pangburn in Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Nold have as their guest Mrs. Percy Kinney of Nevada.

Miss Grace Dearborn entertained a number of her friends at the home of her parents on Birch street, Tuesday evening.

At the morning services of the Congregational church Sunday a Christening took place and thirty-one new members united with the church.

Eric Thompson has given up his position with the California Title and Trust Company, San Francisco, and has entered the abstract department of the George H. Rice Co. in this city.

Franklin Swart, district attorney of San Mateo county, made a wonderfully fine talk on "Law Enforcement" before the members of the Kiwanis Club last Tuesday.

John H. Machado, formerly of this city, but now a leading attorney of San Jose, was a Redwood City visitor Thursday.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold a social at the home of Mrs. L. B. Hinman at 725 Hopkins street next Wednesday afternoon.

On and after December 15, 1924, The Redwood Ice Delivery will take over the Woodside Ice Delievery, and will deliver all ice in Woodside and vicinity. Phone all orders to Redwood 155. If you are now taking ice phone us. Adv.

Mrs. Parker Townsend who has been confined to her Pine street home with a severe attack of pneumonia, is reported to be improving. She was able to sit up Thursday for the first time in over a week.

Miss Freda Boos of this city left last week for a trip to Arizona.

JUDGMENT IN QUIET TITLE SUIT GIVEN

A judgment for the plaintiffs was rendered this week by Superior Judge George H. Buck in the suit of Frank Giordano against Harry A. Houser as administrator of the estate of Anne I. Coogan, to determine the title to lot 108, map of Gray Tract, Redwood City.

The complaint was filed by Attorney J. M. Henderson, together with an answer by the defendant, in the office of County Clerk Elizabeth M. Kneese, and was immediately placed on the calendar and testimony taken. Fifteen minutes after the filing of the complaint the judgment was rendered by Judge Buck.

A BIG AD IN A LIVE TOWN

The Los Gatos Mail News is showing justifiable pride this week on an advertisement which appeared in that paper. It is the ad of a department store opening in Los Gatos and occupies twelve full pages of the paper. The Mail News is a weekly and this issue consists of 48 pages, each well filled with advertising.

Los Gatos is one of the livest towns in this portion of the state. That its business-like appearance and brisk air are due in great measure to the fact that is possesses a paper like the Mail News, there can be little boubt. That the prosperity of the town and of its weekly paper are also due to the wide awake type of merchants in Los Gatos, there is also little doubt. In towns where advertising flourishes, prosperity is always

LOCAL KIWANIANS HEAR TALK BY DISTRICT ATT'Y

In an address delivered before the local Kiwanis Club last Tuesday, Franklin Swart, district attorney of this county, told of the work of his office in maintaining law and order. Swart has been district attorney for over twelve years, and during that time has handled some of the most notorious cases which have ever appeared in court. It was therefore, with authority that he spoke on "Respect for Law."

In the course of his talk Swart spoke of the activities of certain committees who are endeavoring to coerce him into one action or another, and spoke plainty enough to show that he understood the action of some outside politicians who appear to have taken far more interest in cleaning up this county than the counties wherein they live. Some of the newspapers who fostered such plans were also rapped by the district attorney.

The meeting Tuesday was under the chairmanship of Carl Muller and was attended by almost every member of the club.

WOODSIDE NOTES

Mortimer Fleishacker and family will hold their Christmas festivities at their home here, giving a Christmas tree for their employees. For this purpose a splendid Norway Spruce growing on the lawn will be decorated and the celebration will be held out of doors.

The seasonal entertainment of the local school took place on Friday with songs and recitations, a handsomely decorated tree and candy enough to ruin several digestions. The children bubbled over with joy for the coming Christmas and the prosepect of three full weeks of vacation.

Miss Addie Tripp suffered a painful injury which has kept her confined to her chair for the past ten days. This has been particularly irksome to her at this time for it has been her habit to prepare elaborately for the Christmas festivities.

The good name of Woodside suffered greatly from a drunken brawl which was staged at the top of the hill early Sunday morning and as a result one man lies at death's door in a local hospital. It is hoped that the affair may encourage the authorities to rid us of certain undesirable elements that have for long been as a thorn in the flesh.

A log cabin is being built for Mrs. Folger in the deep woods near the top of the ridge on the Folger place. Mr. O. E. Blackington has charge of the construction.

A large number of the people of Woodside attended the dramatic performance at the Sequoia High School on Thursday evening and were very much pleased with the work of the pupils.

Mrs. William Macdonald has been ill with the grippe since Sunday last.

There is a movement looking toward the organization of an alumni association of the Woodside school, for the purpose of developing social contacts among its members and taking a more definite interest in the work of the school. The parents of a number of the present pupils were themselves members and graduates of the school.

On and after December 15, 1924, The Redwood Ice Delivery will take over the Woodside Ice Delievery, and will deliver all ice in Woodside and vicinity. Phone all orders to Redwood 155. If you are now taking ice phone us. Adv.

INTERLOCUTORY DECREE IS SET ASIDE

Sarah and Robert L. Foster have settled their marital difficulties out of court and petitioned through their attorneys that an interlocutory decree granted Mrs. Foster August 21, 1922, be set aside. The petition was granted by Superior Judge George H. Buck. No final decree had ever been entered.

James T. O'Keefe of this city was the attorney representing the couple.

YOUR HOLIDAY DINNERS
AND SOCIAL EVENINGS WILL NOT BE COMPLETE WITHOUT
"CANADA DRY"
THE CHAMPAGNE OF GINGERALES
REDWOOD ICE DELIVERY
Phone Redwood 155 Phone Menlo Park 290

SHOE FACTORY MAY LOCATE ON MARSH TRACT

For years there have been reports that a shoe factory would be established here to take advantage of the proximity to the two big tanneries, and the transportation advantages. So far every rumor has proved false, but if present reports can be relied upon, the long exepcted is actually to come true.

According to reports a large concern was responsible for the purchase of the Lynch ranch, consisting of a large tract of marsh land, just outside of the city limits, and near the cement works. Here there is to be established one of the largest shoe manufacturing plants on the west coast. The products of both of the local tanneries are known and sought after throughout the country for the excellent quality of the leather. The concern which is reported to be locatng here is said to be a large customer of one of the tanneries, who in order to save the freight to the east and the loss in sending the shoes to the west again, have decided to locate near the source of supply and to make shoes here in Redwood City to supply the western market.

FIRE IN SMALL CAR CREATES EXCITEMENT

A fire which was discovered enveloping the engine of a small car parked in front of the post office, caused quite an excitement yesterday afternoon. The owner of the car was not present, and when a passerby discovered the flame it was burning from the carburater of the engine, and smoke was pouring from the hood. An alarm brought the fire engine, but before the department could get to the scene of the blaze it was extinguished by a bag of salt from a near-by grocery.

MOSQUITO ABATEMENT BOARD MET HERE

The local Mosquito Abatement Board met at the Chamber of Commerce office, Wednesday, and discussed affairs concerning their work. The members of the board are L. A. Barrett, Belmont; Asa Hull, San Carlos; Carl Mable, Redwood City; A. C. G. Hahn, Atherton, and W. J. Murray ,Menlo Park.

The people of this section should be very thankful for the work done by the board. Redwood City in the days gone by had a superabundant supply of the little long nosed pests, but they are rarely seen in these parts now.

WOODSIDE FIGHT NEARLY ENDS FATALLY FOR ONE

A fight, said to have taken place over a woman in the rear room of a former saloon at Woodside, which is now under abatement, resulted last Saturday night in injuries to Jesse Secker which may result in his death. The principals of the fight are said to be Secker and Ralph Dickenson, who is now being held in jail pending the outcome of Secker's injuries, and Mrs. Mary Feliz, who is said to have been the cause of the affair.

Mrs. Feliz is said to have gone to the resort with Secker. Dickenson and two other men were there before them. Secker and Dickenson are reported to have become engaged in a quarrel in the course of the evening which is said to have ended when Dickenson beat Secker over the head with the butt of a shot gun and to have crushed his skull severely.

Two other men, Vic. Freine and Carl Nelson have been questioned as witnesses by the district attorney, and in case of Secker's death will be called as witnesses in a manslaughter case against Dickenson.

At last reports Secker's condition was reported to be improving and a hope is expressed for his recovery.

SEEKS TO FORECLOSE ON TWO NOTES

Action for collection of the balance due on two notes amounting to $331.20 and $150 attorneys' fees, was started in the county clerk's office here this week with the filing of suit by H. Edwards against Theresa M. Feters and three Does. Edwards asks that the property on which he holds chattel mortgages on Castillo avenue, Burlingame, be sold for payment.

One of the notes was executed March 21, 1923, for $262.40 and the other transferred from the Wimsett Way Company is for $200. Simon E. Sheffey is attorney for the defendant.

R. F. CHILCOTT BUYS ATHERTON HOME

R. F. Chilcott of this city this week announced the purchase of the C. E. Cotton residence in Atherton. The present residence of the Chilcotts is also reported sold, the property being taken by San Francisco parties, it is understood. The Cotton home in Atherton, to which Chilcott will soon remove with his family, is one of the attractive homes of that aristocratic district. It is located on the Middlefield road.

A marriage for love isn't likely to last long unless it also proves to be a marriage of mutual convenience.

Masonic Lodge Elects Officers

Thursday evening was election night for Redwood City Lodge No. 168 F. and A. M., and the new officers to fill the elective positions in the lodge were chosen for the coming year. F. Thornton Smith was elected master, succeeding Charles H. Merrill of Menlo Park. The position of Senior Warden is to be filled by Philip Brand, who succeeds Smith, and Percy Long was elected to follow Brand as Junior Warden. Frank K. Towne was reelected as treasurer, and William Kelso was elected secretary to succeed W. A. Crowell. Crowell has been secretary of the lodge for eight years and refused to run for reelection, because of other pressing interests.

The members of the lodge were entertained by a number of vocal numbers by Gustave Fonandern of this city, who belongs to the order in Sweeden. Fonandern sang both in English and Sweedish, and his selections were much appreciated by the Masons.

The installation of the new officers will take place early in January.

AGED RESIDENT DIES FROM SMOKE SUFFOCATION

Suffocation caused by breathing smoke from a blazing oil stove proved fatal to patrick Foley, 82, of this city Thursday morning. Foley who resided near the end of Vera avenue, was preparing his evening meal on Wednesday evening at his home and was using a coal oil stove. It is supposed that the stove, either exploded or was tipped over and flamed up. The aged man tried to extinguish the flames and failing in this he endeavored to escape from the room. As he neared the door, however, he was overcome by the fumes of the burning oil and fell against the door.

A neighbor, attracted by smoke issuing from the house, came to the rescue and breaking through a window, succeeded in removing the suffocated man. The fire department soon arrived and extinguished the flames without much loss to the house. Foley was taken to the Community hospital, where he passed away early the following morning.

Foley had lived alone at his place for some years. He has a son in San Francisco, said to be connected with the customs service. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

FORMER REDWOOD MAN ILL IN SAN FRANCISCO

Charles T. Cook, a former resident of Redwood City and for many years chief clerk in the office of U. S. Surveyor of Customs of the port at San Francisco, is very ill at his home in the city. He is suffering from acute kidney trouble. His many friends are much alarmed at his condition. Mr. Cook spent his youth in Redwood City, where his father, the late T. M. Cook, was editor of the Times-Gazette for a number of years. As a boy Mr. Cook set type in his father's office. Many of the articles he placed in type nearly forty years ago are carefully preserved in the files of the Times-Gazette office. The late T. M. Cook was one of the ablest editorial writers of his time. After leaving Redwood City, the elder Cook became editor of the Rocky Mountain Messenger. Charles Cook entered the custom service at an early age. He is very much beloved and liked by his associates in the service. His numerous friends throughout the peninsula hope he will recover.

NEARLY LOSES TOE

When a heavy box which he was lifting upon a shelf in Tony's Cafe slipped and fell on his foot, Joe Bertolucci nearly lost a toe. The box was a heavy one and gathered momentum rapidly as it neared the floor. The mad career of the box was stopped, however, when a sharp corner landed on the toe of Joe's shoe. It ruined the shoe all right, for it cut the toe off. It nearly ruined Joe's foot, too, by performing the same operation on that. Joe escaped, however, and is congratulating himself on the fact.

LEGION PLANS FOR XMAS TREE RECEIVE SUPPORT

It has been said that there is nothing new under the sun. This will not hold true, however, if the present plans of the American Legion work out, at least, as far as Redwood City is concerned. It is the plan of the Legion to inaugurate something new for Redwood City—the Sequoia Christmas Tree.

Now the Legion are not alone in their work, but have asked the co-operation of every organization in town and any individual who so desires, to help put their plan over. So far the response has been encouraging, and there is little doubt left that the affair will be one of the events of the town which will be remembered in the future as the starting point of an annual custom.

In a letter addressed to the various organizations of the town the Legion committee says in part as follows:

"Our proposal is the result of a timely suggestion made at a recent Post meeting held at City headquarters. The question arose as to the possibility of a Community Christmas Tree. The suggestion met with instant approval. Little did the original sponsor dream, however, of the far-reaching project which has since been evolved following the inception of the first thought. A multitude of committee meetings followed, charcterized by intense enthusiasm, and resulting in the undersigned now being prepared to announce the following:

"As well live the Christmas spirit —and with no tinge of desecration It is aimed to put Redwood City upon the "Annual Affairs" map as the "Sequoia Christmas Tree" feature city of the state. Other highly successful California municipalities have created truly enjoyable affairs, as well as marked favorable publicity, by some outstanding annual event, properly advertised. These affairs vary from events founded on the superiority of an agricultural product, ranging from the blossom to the fruit, to those of historical reference—from a Portola to a Mardi Gras.

"We appeal to you for fullest cooperation toward the consummation of the above idea. To accomplish this we request reply by return mail. Christmas is close upon us. Much is to be done. A General Citizens' Committee is now in course of organization through the Legion. Such a committee will be necessary for execution of the above idea, and for administering the Sequoia Annual Christmas Tree Fund, which it is obvious will have to be secured. We count on your hearty co-operation. We request, if you have not already done so, that you appoint, immediately a member from your organization for active representation on the General Citizens' Committee. If your organization does not meet officially for some time to come, we suggest you arbitrarily appoint an active member who will report immediately for service. As soon as we receive practically complete reports of committee appointees from all Redwood City covering lodges, churches, business firms, etc., we will advise details as to date, time, place, etc., for initial General Citizens' Committee meet.

"Yours for a Fuller, More Complete, Happier and More Comfortable Sequoia Chirstmas.

"VICTOR HILDEBRANT,
"JAMES De BENEDETTI,
"F. M. MONROE,
"Committee

A general committee composed of committees from all organizations interested as well as interested individuals met last night in the Firemen's Hall and discussed the plans for the tree. The definite arrangements will be announced later.

"P. S. Since production of the foregoing letter, sufficient response has been received favoring the proposition to name the date of the first meeting of the General Committee. This meeting will take place on Friday evening, December 12, 1924, at the Firemen's Hall."

YOUR SAVINGS ARE LIKE A LIFE BOAT!

EVERY WELL-EQUIPPED WATER VESSEL CARRIES LIFE BOATS. THEY ARE ESSENTIAL TO THE SAFETY OF PASSENGERS AND CREW. NO BOAT WOULD DARE LEAVE PORT WITHOUT THEM.



AND THE SAME APPLIES TO THE PERSON WHO LOOKS TO HIS OR HER, FUTURE WELFARE AND HAPPINESS. YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT IN THIS STRONG BANK IS LIKE A LIFE BOAT — ALWAYS READY WHEN AN EMERGENCY ARISES.

WHY NOT CONSIDER THE FUTURE BY STARTING SUCH AN ACCOUNT WITH US TODAY?

First National Bank
REDWOOD CITY, CAL.

Why Waste

MANY people doing their holiday shopping have no idea what they are going to buy and in many cases end up by buying an article that is not useful to the receiver and is soon cast aside and forgotten.

THE main purpose in giving a gift is to present something that the party presenting it can be remembered by the party receiving the same.

THERE is nothing more useful and that can be remembered more than an ELECTRICAL GIFT, which makes a dainty and nice appearing present besides being one of the most useful that a party can receive.

ALL ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES are made for the convenience of the user and for their laborsaving features, so that when you give an ELECTRICAL GIFT you give something that the receiver will daily save time and labor with.

WE urgently request you to call and see. Step in any time and we have a wonderfully complete line of electrical appliances that will be only too glad to show you the superior features of our appliances. You will be under no obligations to buy and your call will be appreciated.

WE also have one of the largest stocks of Xmas Tree lights on the Peninsula, ranging in price from $1.75 up for a complete set.

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THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

HRISTMAS TIDE is rapidly drawing near, and as it comes we somehow lose sight of the significance of the occasion in our rush and hurry to buy and send or make and give, something to someone. Then tired out from the unusual exertion we sometimes forget every bit of our Christian or Christmas spirit and wish that Christmas had never been invented.

Personally I believe that Christmas should be a time for children. The undiscriminate giving and taking of gifts somehow dulls the edge of the zest in the adult mind, and most grown-ups who are really and truly honest feel that we go to a great deal of bother which should be avoided.

Further than this the present of today is usually so costly that many people deprive themselves of things they need so that they may keep up their end and so the Christmas spirit is lost.

When we believed in Santa Claus, and a tin horse or a little express wagon, gave us thrills of joy and a few pieces of hard candy done up in a gaudy piece of netting were the sweetest things in the world to us, we had the real Christmas spirit We had nothing but love to give, and it was love that prompted the gifts we received.

So if we are to have the Christmas spirit in our hearts, there must be love there. The intrinsic value of a present is nothing if we know that the giver holds us in the proper relation; and if we have that same spirit in our hearts we can know that some simple gift which we share with others will be appreciated.

There is no reason for giving costly and expensive things. We forget that it is more blessed to give than to receive, if we give beyond our means, and so we lose our Christian Christmas spirit. Here's a Christmas wish for you:

May you have love in your heart when you give.
May you have love in your heart as you receive
For then you will have a Merry Christmas.

—o—o—o—

THE LONG JOURNEY

LAST week we happened into a local undertaking parlor just as the remains of a little old lady were being brought in. The husband was there, an old man, alone for the first time in years. They had traveled along the road together for fifty-five years and had been separated only four nights in all of that time. Hand in hand they had met the obstacles and had climbed over the rough places. He was a timberman, so their lot was usually cast, out in the great forest country, and away from the stir of the city. It was usually a hard life, sometime there was work, sometimes there were periods of idlenss, but love was always there. So they journeyed up the hill and then down again into the valley in which had come the shadow of death.

The old man was alone, no relatives or friends were with him, but as he stood and looked at the little woman he said, "It won't be very long until we will be together on the long, long journey." Most of us would think of fifty-five years together as a long, long time, but to this man as he looked back over the trail, it was really short, and then as he looked out into the future, the long, long journey into an unknown country was before him. It wasn't the end. It was just the beginning of another period. He was anxious to be on his way, for his companion had gone, and he was here alone with only the memories to think about. But he knew that it would be only a little while until they should be on the long journey together. So we left him alone with the little woman who had been his companion for fifty-five years but who had gone to find the way when he was ready to follow.

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THE BRIDGE

AT last the Dumbarton Bridge is to become a reality. All of the preliminary work has been done, the plans have been completed and the funds have been raised for the structure.

The completion of this project should mean much to Redwood City. All of the vehicular traffic from the great San Joaquin valley to the metropolis of the Pacific will pass through our city. People who previously have gone by way of Oakland will travel through Redwood City to San Francisco. by the shortened route. We believe that this will cause people to settle here; for we have advantages that are unexcelled.

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But the people of our community cannot sit idly by and expect people to come here to make their homes. We must advertise our city. We must make it a friendly place. We must make it a place of beauty, where children may grow up safe from contagion and contaminating influences. We must each one of us, who believes in the future of Redwood City, boost our town at every turn of the road and help to keep it clean and wholesome.

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THE PRIME REQUISITE

WE have read authors who in describing some scene say, "No living thing was visable." We wonder what kind of a scene that would be, for can human imagination think other than life. The waves of the ocean are teeming with life, the sands of the desert, blown by the hot winds and baked by a roasting sun, are crowded with life. Life, like the aether, is all prevading and all-extensive. Scenes may exist without almost everything; but without life, nothing.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY OPPOSES PROPOSED TAX

Bitter opposition to the proposed tax of one or two additional cents on each gallon of gas purchased, is expressed in an editorial appearing in the current issue of the Standard Oil Bulletin, the official organ of that company. This company, together with the other oil companies of the state were the originators of the gasoline tax idea which is now in use in California. The additional tax, however, is opposed as being unfair legislation in that it would put the whole burden of the upkeep of the highways on the motorist, whereas a great deal of the benefit of having good roads is enjoyed by the property owners. The article is in part as follows:

"The proposed taxes will place a new burden upon an already heavily taxed motorist and upon motor-vehicle operation, which is calculated to have a bad effect upon the automobile industry. Motor-cars are now taxed in many ways, and each additional tax increases sales resistance, something to which the motor-car dealers of the state should give attention. The motorist's list of taxes is formidable. First there is a 5 per cent Federal excise tax on the purchase of a pleasure car, or 3 per cent on a commercial car. There is also a 5 per cent Federal excise tax on parts and accessories. If the car is a vehicle for hire, there is a $10.00 Federal occupational tax on vehicles carrying seven passengers or less, and $20.00 if it carries more than seven. In California there is a state registration fee of $3.00 on all cars, while commercial cars are taxed up to $50.00 additional, depending on weight and character of tires. There is in California a two-cent gasoline tax which estimates show amounts to an average of $10.00 a year for passenger cars and $20.00 for trucks. Every car owner also pays a personal tax on assessed valuation.

There are two proposals as to gasoline tax being discussed in California—one for one cent increase, making a total of three cents, and another for a two-cent increase, making a total of four cents. Nor is this all. It is also proposed that the registration fee be increased from $3.00 to $5.00 on all cars and that the extra weight fees on commercial vehicles be increased by two-thirds. The proposed increases on passenger cars would amount to $7.00 in one case and $12.00 additional in another depending on whether the gasoline tax increase is one or two cents. With a commercial vehicle of, say 4000 pounds weight, the increase would be $18.66 if the tax is increased one cent per gallon, or $28.66 if the tax is increased two cents, and proportionately greater for heavier cars. These estimates are based on passenger cars using an average of 500 gallons annually and on commercial cars using 1000 gallons. These are considered conservative figures.

"There is another very important point. It is the gross unfairness of singling out any one commodity to carry a great load of taxation to produce revenues for the whole people. The varying proposals which have been made would place upon gasoline a tax of from 23 per cent to more than 30 per cent of the wholesale price of gasoline in San Francisco. Let any merchant ask himself how he would like to have such a burden thrown upon his commodity. It would undoubtedly curtail consumption, for the higher price of a commodity the lower the consumption, whether the commodity be shoes, clothing, food, or what-not.

"There are still more considerations of importance to the public; but the opposition of this company to the proposed measures is based on the elemental principle that it is wrong to tax a part of the people for the benefit of the whole, and grossly unjust to single out any commodity for a very heavy burden of taxation, and the company intends to place the facts before the motoring public, many of whom are its patrons."

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"Poor as church mouse," isn't a good figure of speech now-a-days. Ladies' Aid societies sereve as many dinners and have so many markets that a church mouse ought to fare a good deal better that any other kind.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From the Times-Gazette of November 25, 1899

A team from Oriental Rebekah Degree Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F. will assist in initiating sixteen new members into the local Rebekah lodge next Friday night.

John Ralston of San Gregorio is stopping at the St. Charles. He is undergoing treatment for ear trouble and visits a specialist in San Francisco every day.

A. D. Walsh and bride are expected home from their honeymoon tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Walsh will probably take temporary quarters in the Tremont house.

This week large numbers of ducks have lined the bay shore and are gradually coming into the marshes. Hunters are preparing their fowling pieces for an assault.

John MacBain has begun work on the Perry Eyre residence at Fair Oaks with a large force of men.

At a meeting of Hose Company No. 3. held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected for the coming year:. Foreman, Al. Beer; first assistant, E. Pfrang; secohd assistant, T. Elvin; secretary and treasurer, Bert Lovie; delegate, J. Williamson. E. Stevens and J. Williamson were delegated as an electoral comittee to vote on fire chief for Hose Company No. 3.

Charles McLaughtin Cloud, until recently a resident of this city, was united in marriage to Miss Lucile Cochrane of Oakland during the week. Miss Cochrane was formerly employed in the millinery business here. Mr. Cloud is a purser on the steamer Aberdeen.

A. T. Weeks has made known his intention of resigning his position of guard at San Quentin on the first of the year. He will reside in this county.

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IMPOSSIBLE TO GET AWAY FROM THE WORLD TODAY

Although the strange corners of the United States continue to lure and thrill fortunate and adventuresome travelers. It is becoming impossible to 'get away from the world" completely due to the extension of telephone lines over mountains and deserts, making possible comunication with 15,000,000 telephone subscribers in all parts of the country. The latest example of the telephone line builder's enterprise is found in the completion of a 240 mile long distance line from the El Tovar hotel on the rim of the Grand Canyon, to Phoenix, Arizona. Visitors to the wonder-spot may now have direct connection with the longest through distance telephone circuit in the world, stretching between Los Angeles and Chicago, according to advices received this week by J. D. Worthington, manager for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, in this district.

The Grand Canyon telephone line is longer than the recently completed line reaching through Tibet to the Forbidden City of Lhasa, which attains a length of 144 miles. The construction work was performed by experts from the India telephone service. With the completion of this long tentacle of wire, reaching far up into central Asia, the telephone has penetrated to a city where for a hundred years no white man was permitted to set foot. Telephone linemen now ply their trade in the shadow of the great monastery, which houses 8,000 Buddhist monks and the telephone bells ring in the sacred city where the great Delai Llama reigns as Pope over millions of Buddihts throughout central Asia, who adhere to the religious tenets of the Llama sect.

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FAIR OAKS COMMUNITY CLUB TO MEET

There will be a special meeting of the Fair Oaks Community Club next Tuesday, December 16, at 8 p. m. at the home of William Grundy, on 5th avenue, North Fair Oaks. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss and adopt a new set of by-laws. All members are urged to be present.

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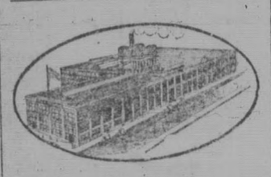
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WEEKLY CALIFORNIA INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Long Beach—Contracts let for $600,000 for 12-story office building.

Los Angeles — Capistrano Beach, first unit of 200 acres, being laid out, with three mile beach along San Diego highway.

Chico—Bean crop in Vina district yields up to 30 bags per acre.

San Bernardino—National Orange Show building will cost $150,000.

Compton—Storm sewers authorized to drain Broadway and Laurel streets.

Chico—Concrete and tile building to be erected on site of recent Broadway fire.

Los Angeles—Lou Bard starts work on $500,000 theatre on East Colorado street.

Sacramento—Permission is given to build under-railroad crossing at Washington.

San Luis Obispo—City buys 2,000 feet 4-inch pipe for water line extension.

Merced irrigation district buys turbines for power plant for $234,000. Five steel bridges are estimated to cost $1,125,000.

Manteca—Local cannery packed 212 cars or 225,000 cases for 1924 season.

San Dimas—Surveyors laying out new Arrow boulevard.

Berkeley—Knight's store building, now building, will cost $90,000 when completed.

Santa Monica—New pleasure pier is to be built here to cost $1,500,000.

Glendale—Plans for new Masonic temple here call for $300,000 investment.

Marysville — Building for 1924 will exceed $1,000,000 beside public improvements.

Carquinez— Construction begun on $5,000,000 bridge across straits.

San Francisco—Pacific Telephone and Telegraph $8,000,000 building to open Jan 2.

Novato—Contract is let for steel concrete warehouse to cost $80,000.

Los Angeles—Cornerstone laid for Al Malaikah Shrine Temple ot cost $2,000,000.

San Francisco—Dumbarton bridge across bay, to link San Mateo and Alameda counties, will cost $2,000,000, already half financed by local capital. ??? ?

Santa Rosa—American Railway Express plans to build new office here.

Los Angeles — DeWitt-Blair will install automatic railway to reach Mulholland Highway. A $2,000,000 hotel is part of the improvement plan.

Chico—Fireproof building to go on site of recent Fifth street fire.

Santa Rosa—Dredging of Russian river begins, dredged gravel being shipped for building.

Quincy—Local capital will ijon in building a new hotel.

San Luis Obispo—Work resumed at Bleack Bear beach placer mines.

Los Angeles—Southern California Edison Company's 1925 budget calls for $25,000,000 building improvements.

Vallejo—Fifty men at work on Gordon Valley dam to supply water for city use.

Los Angeles—County will build $500,000 sanitarium near San Fernando.

Compton—New Samson Rubber Company factory, to cost $100,000 will employ hundreds.

Glendale—Work begun on $1,600,000 sewer.

Fresno—Merced-Stanislaus Growers Association raise $500,000 worth of sweet potatoes.

Napa—Oak Knoll stone bridge across Napa river completed, costing $34,000.

Santa Ana—New highway proposed to Los Angeles, Through Watts and Garden Grove.

Lancaster—Foundations laid for new postoffice building.

Santa Paula—Gas mains extended two miles to supply factories and residents.

Petaluma — Petaluma's annual pay roll apporximately $2,160,500 yearly for fifty staple industries.

Ojai—Packing plant to be built here to handle vegetables.

Y. M. C. A. TO USE SEQUOIA GYMNASIUM

Play classes, open to any boys of the town will be conducted all during the vacation at the Sequoia gymnasium under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. The classes will be directed by George S. Chessum of the San Mateo County Y. M. C. A., and will be held every Monday and Thursday afternoon.

It is the plan of the organization to conduct similar play classes in every town of the county where it is practicable. No fees will be charged and the classes are open to any boy. The desire of the Y. M. C. A. is to give the boys of each town a central meeting place where they may play and be helped in their play by some older person.

In Redwood City some of the high school boys will direct the activities of the boys on the afternoons at the gymnasium. The names of the boys who are chosen for this work will be announced later.

San Carlos Folks And Local Events

The card party and dance given by the San Carlos Volunteer Fire Department was a financial as well as social success. Belmont, Redwood City and San Francisco were well represented. Those from Belmont were: Miss Victoria Roussel, Mrs. Edgar Gross, Mrs. Ray Kelly, Ibert Smith, Sydney Johnson, Stanley Botto, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hearnser, Mr. and Mrs. John Staugus, Mrs. Miller and Earl Miller. Dancing lasted until 1:00 a. m. Those who won high scores were: Mrs. R. D. Schott, Robert Simpson, O. D. Fairfield, D. L. Stewart, Mrs. Harry Gee, Mrs. Jones of Redwood City, J. Gorse and Mrs. W. Mallory. Door prizes were won by Mrs. Fred T. Odgers, Mrs. J. Wolkow and Mrs. J. Gorse.

Mr. James Rich of San Mateo was a visitor in town on Wednesday evening.

Miss Florence Johnson entertained her friends at her home on Saturday evening. Dancing and radio were the diversions of the evening. At midnight a buffet luncheon was served. Those present were: Miss Elsi Gee, Miss Mabel Dearborn, Miss Margaret Prendergast, Miss Marion Johnson, Miss Florence Johnson, Charles Davis, Bill Johnson, Jack Fairfield of San Carlos and Ernest Olsen of San Francisco and several others.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Malory of San Francisco were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haydock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilbie of Burlingame were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Ramous.

Mrs. Andrew Johnson spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. L. Harrington of Menlo Park.

Miss Georgie Zeh took part in a recital at the Fairmont Hotel on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred T. Odgers and Mrs. Arlington Dennery spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Monroe spent Sunday evening as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith of Redwood City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. James spent Sunday evening visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilkensen of Beresford.

Mr and Mrs. F. Connolly and family spent Tuesday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davis.

R. D. Goover has started the foundation for his bungalow to be built on Cedar and Cypress avenues.

James McCorkle has also started the foundation of his bungalow on Cedar street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Emerson of Burlingame are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ford on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton spent the week end in San Francisco visiting friends.

A. M. Planka was a visitor in town on Sunday.

F. Durges of San Mateo was a business visitor here on Monday.

Miss Arline Dennery spent Monday visiting with friends in Oakland.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Belmont Country Club Prop. Inc., etc. to A. Jacobs L 33, Bk 21, Belmont Country Club Prop.

Same to Aarthur J. Kahn L 22, Bk 22, same.

Same to Leopold Harris and wife L 31, Bk 21, Same.

Same to Esther Rothschild L 32, Bk 21, Same.

Estate of Clara R. Johnson to Alice E. Wright et al Ptn L 6, Bk 25, Dingee aPrk.

Sawyer Y. Monckton to Henry Lacey and wife L 7, Bk G, Woodside Acres.

W. L. Brazelton and wife to J. H. Sullivan L 13-17, Bk B, Menlo Park Villa Lots.

E. W. Magruder and wife to John Robert Orton L 13, Bk 12, Eagle Hill Addition.

Same to George W. Clarkson and wife L 4, Bk 12, Same.

Louis H. Mooser and wife to Albert H. Mooser L 5-6, Bk 6, San Carlos Park.

S. F. Peninsula Land Company to Wm. T. O'Brien and wife L 26-27, Bk 16, Huntington Park.

Louis F. Cockroft to William R. Lynch and wife L 47-48, Bk 57, Dumbarton Oaks.

William R Lynch and wife to Florence N. Jefferson L 47, Bk 57, Same.

George F. Casey and wife to Camilla B. Connolley et al L 8-9-10-12-13, Bk 3,; L 12-13-16, Bk 7, Lomita Park.

Louis Melvin Pollard to H. C. Thomsen L 20, SW 35 feet of 19, Bk 26, Dingee Park.

Daniel P. Flynn and wife to Ada M. Steudeman S 1-2 L 11 and 12, Bk 12, Diller's Addition.

Jennie T. Butler and husband to E. A. Butler L 24, 25, Bk 1, Sub L 16, W W and M. Sub.

John Bubica and wife to Lars Borgheim L 3 and 4, Bk 11, West Redwood.

Walter P. Duffy to George W. Knapp and wife SE 46.67 feet of L 7, Bk 25, Dingee Park:

C. A. Hooper and Co. to K. E. Fitzpatrick L 8, Bk 19, Central Pk.

Edward B. Dawson to Lois Allen Dawson L 21, Charles Weeks Poultry Colony.

Anglo-California Trust Co. to Ersilia C. Bogart L 38, Emerald Lake Park.

George F. Balliet and wife to Gray-Thorning Lumber Co. L 17, 18, Bk 1, L 14, to 17, Bk 2, Oakwood Park Tract.

Belmont Country Club Props., Inc. to Adelaide P. Newsom L 36, Bk 30, Belmont.

Same to Frank J. McHugh L 9, Bk 19, same tract.

Same to Jacob Harris L 30, Bk 21, same tract.

The Albertson Realty Co. to John H. Rullhausen L 15, Bk 10, N. P. A. Oaks.

Anglo-California Trust Co. to Henry E. Rehn and wife L 19, 20, Bk 8, North Fair Oaks.

SAN MATEO COUNTY—A WONDERLAND ADJACENT TO SAN FRANCISCO

By George S. Grant, Manager Tour-Bureau, Calif. State Automobile Association.

It is frequently said that San Mateo county is just one big mountain. And indeed, much of its 447 square miles of area is mountainous, but nature has endowed this mountain with what is perhaps one of the finest natural parks in California, and man, in his conquest of the county, has added to its natural beauty.

This park-like area is a compact community region in which are situated some of the best conceived homes and country places in the West. San Mateo county homes attract every type and please them, one and all. The man of affairs, with social prestige and millions, finds in such localities as Menlo Park, Redwood City, San Carlos, Belmont, San Mateo, Burlingame, and Hillsborough the ideal sectors from which to choose a beautiful location for a country home.

A step away, as it were, from the country estates and manor places of Hillsborough, the professional man or one engaged in any of the commercial activities of San Francisco, the nearby metropolis, brings his family to the fullest enjoyment of the untrammeled American life at San Mateo, Burlingame or any of the other towns mentioned above.

But San Mateo county, is not alone a district of fine homes. Industry hums in its appropriate place and along the waterfront adjacent to South San Francisco "where rail and water meet." Here are located some of the state's larger manufacturing plants and industrial enterprises. Dairying in the country regions is an important industry and one product of the soil of San Mateo county, the artichoke, supplies practically the entire markets of the United States from New York to San Francisco.

The Bay Shore highway now under construction and development of the bay frontage will increase the industrial activities carreid on within the county.

However, it is as a residenital section for the growing metropolis of San Francisco that San Mateo county will probably continue to be noted in the future.

SUPERVISORS PASS MILK ORDINANCE

At the instigation of the dairymen of this county, who have been seeking the appointment of an inspector for some time, the board of supervisors last Monday passed an ordinance providing for the inspection of all milk produced and sold within this county, and for the appointment of a milk inspector.

A registration fee is also provided for in the new ordinance fixed at one sixth of a cent for each gallon of milk sold. The money derived from this source will be used to pay the salary of the inspector. The ordinance in other respects is the same as ordinances in force elsewhere, providing a minimum amount of fat to be present in all milk sold. The inspector was not appointed by the board but will be named later.

W. J. Graef of this city, in charge of the work of the United States Public Health Service, in its squirrel extermination work here, appeared before the board and told of the work of his department. It was voted by the board to continue the monthly appropriation of $240 a month for the continuation of this work.

An application by the County Tax Collector for two Remington tax billing machines was referred to the County Purchasing Agent to secure bids.

A petition of several residents of the Atherton district for additional lights was granted.

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East Palo Alto Folks and Events

The Minstrel entertainment Saturday evening given by the young men of the Congregational church of Redwood City for the benefit of the Runnymede Woman's Club of this community, was much enjoyed and a larger crowd attended than was expected after it was known the Sequoia High School and Stanford, both, had attractions which took the students and their parents from the community. The table of articles made by the boys of the Veterans' hospital was well patronized and a good sum realized for them.

The East Palo Alto Progressive Club met Tuesday evening for their regular meeting and committees for road improvement planning and advertising were named. The program chairman announced a speaker or program would follow every meeting but they would be surprise programs and not advertised preceeding the meeting. Those present were reminded to write "San Mateo County" on their applications for auto license plates in order to have the county have the road money.

Matters of interest to the organization were discussed and a social time with refreshmens followed the business session.

Mrs. Lenn Follett was hostess to the East Palo Alto ladies Wednesday afternoon and a social time with Christmas sewing was enjoyed. Mrs. A. Dezso of Runnymede street will entertain the ladies the last day of the year with a New Year's party in the afternoon.

School closed this week for the holiday vacation, earlier than usual because of the teachers' institute.

Little Miss Catherine Brewbaker left Wednesday evening for a three weeks' visit with her grandmother in Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon have sold their property on University avenue to Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Davis who have been living in Palo Alto for the past year, and Mr. and Mrs. Gutrez of Sunnyvale have purchased the acre recently improved by Frank Hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess and their son and daughter have moved to the Amos Davis place on Cooley avenue from San Francisco. Their daughter and son attend Sequoia High School.

THREE NABBED IN DRY RAID AT MOSS BEACH

Raiding the Rossi Brothers' ranch, near Moss Beach, San Mateo county, Tuesday, Federal prohibition agents found one 200-gallon still in operation and another still of the same size inactive. Both stills and a quantity of alcohol were seized and Gino Riziari and Virgilin Rossi arrested. Agents caught Roy McGovern driving with a load of forty cases of ng ka py. prohibited Chinese gin, in an automobile truck yesterday. They arrested McGovern and confiscated the truck and its cargo.

Pleasure care are so-called because automobile mechanics get so much pleasure in repairing them.

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The old fashioned boss idea of keeping his men "on their toes" was to stand them on their heads.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, ADELYN PORTER WATROUS and J. W. WATROUS, (her husband) both of the County of San Mateo, State of California, duly executed a deed of trust to ROSE LEGG (now known as Rose Legg Roberts) of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, dated the 21st day of March, 1921 and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 13 of Official Records, page 3, which deed of trust was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note of even date therewith, made, executed and delivered by Adelyn Porter Watrous and J. W. Watrous to Rose Legg (now known as Rose Legg Roberts); and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum due under said promissory note and of the interest of said note and said Rose Legg (now known as Rose Legg Roberts, notified the said Adelyn Porter Watrous and J. W. Watrous of said default; and

WHEREAS, the said Rose Legg (now known as Rose Legg Roberts) as beneficiary under the said deed of trust, has recorded on the 5th day of September, 1924, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 131 of Official Records, at page 51, a notice of said default and of her election to sell, or cause to be sold, such property to satisfy the obligation as set forth in said deed of trust in accordance with Section 2924, of the Civil Code of California:

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and under the authority of said deed of trust, and in pursuance of said notification and demand, the said Rose Legg (now known as Rose Legg Roberts) as trustee in said deed of trust, hereby gives notice that on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1925, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the principal entrance of the county court house in Redwood City in the County of San Mateo, State of California, she will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in Gold Coin of the United States, all that piece or parcel of land situate in the County of San Mateo, State of California described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point on the Southwesterly line of Elena Avenue distant thereon Northwesterly 8.20 chains from the intersection of the Southwesterly line of Elena Avenue with the center line of Park Lane; running thence Northwesterly along said Southwesterly line of Elena Avenue 2.04 chains to the Northwesterly line of Lot eleven (11) hereinafter described; thence Southwesterly along said Northwesterly line of Lot eleven (11) 4.83 chains to a point on the Northerly line of Lot twelve (12); thence Southeasterly and along said Northerly line of Lot twelve (12) 2.04 chains; thence at right angles Northeasterly 4.83 chains to the point of beginning. Being a portion of Lot numbered eleven (11) as shown on that certain map entitled "Map of Quillota Tract, being Lot Six (6) of Valparaiso Park, San Mateo Co., Cal." which was filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County April 6, 1905 in Book "D" of Original Maps at page 32, and copied in Book 3 of Maps at page 60 thereof.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash in Gold Coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the said Rose Legg (now known as Rose Legg Roberts) on the fall of the hammer; balance within ten days thereafter to be payable to her order at The Bank of California, National Association, at 400 California Street, San Francisco, California, and if not so paid then said ten per cent to be forfeited and the sale shall be void; acts of sale at purchaser's expense.

Dated: San Francisco, California, December 13, 1924.

ROSE LEGG ROBERTS
Trustee.

PILLSBURY, MADISON and SUTRO, Attorneys for Trustee, Standard Oil Building, San Francisco, California.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

No. 3182

In the Matter of the Estate of IVAN J. DAVES, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Ivan J. Daves, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Messrs. Ross and Ross, First National Bank Bldg., Redwood City, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Dated this 4th day of December, A. D. 1924.

W. A. BROOKE.
Administrator of the estate of Ivan J. Daves, deceased.

ROSS and ROSS, Attorneys for Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo.

In the Matter of the Estate of ELLA SEACH, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, the administrator of the Estate of Ella Seach, deceased to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator at the place of his residence, number 666 Bellevue avenue, Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 28th day of November, A. D. 1924.

CHARLES W. SEACH
Administrator.

WALTON C. WEBB, Attorney for Administrator.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SAN MATEO COUNTY AND THE SAN MATEO COUNTY SAVINGS BANK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of San Mateo County and the San Mateo County Savings Bank, will be held at the office of said corporation in the First National Bank Building at the corner of Broadway and Main Street, in Redwood City, California, on Saturday, the 10th day of January, 1925, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the respective banks for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of all such further business as may properly come before such a meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of San Mateo County and San Mateo County Savings Bank.

GEO. C. ROSS, President.
FRANK K. TOWNE, Secretary.

Dated November 27th, 1924.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 3504

Estate of ROWLAND ANDREWS CAUGHLIN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, CRISSIE A. CAUGHLIN, administratrix of the estate of ROWLAND ANDREWS CAUGHLIN, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Mateo, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the office of Times-Gazette, 61 Broadway, in the Town of Redwood City, in the County of San Mateo, State of California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the said County of San Mateo.

CRISSIE A. CAUGHLIN,
Administratrix of the Estate of Rowland Andrews Caughlin, Deceased.

Dated: November 20, A. D. 1924.

P. A. BERGEROT and A. P. BESSOULAVY, Attorneys for Administratrix, 110 Sutter Street, San Francisco, Calif.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of November, 1922, RICHARD COOMBS and MARIE COOMBS, his wife, of San Mateo, executed and delivered a certain deed of Trust wherein said RICHARD COOMBS and MARIE COOMBS, his wife were the parties of the first part, and JOHN FOSTER and E. PALMUTH were the parties of the second part, and ALICE MANGOLD and MICHAEL MANGOLD were the parties of the third part, which said Deed of Trust was recorded on the 1st day of December, 1922, in Vol. 55, Official Records, at page 239, of the County Records of San Mateo County; and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust was made, executed, acknowledged and delivered by said RICHARD COOMBS and MARIE COOMBS, his wife, to JOHN FOSTER and E. PALMUTH to secure the payment of a certain promissory note which is more particularly described in said Deed of Trust and in the notice of election to sell property described in Deed of Trust to satisfy the obligation, and all of said note was made payable to ALICE MANGOLD and MICHAEL MANGOLD; and

WHEREAS, said Deed of Trust provided that if default should be made in the payment of any of the sums of principal or interest of said note when due, the parties of the second part in said Deed of Trust on demand by the parties of the third part therein should sell the premises in said Deed of Trust described, in order to accomplish the objects of said trust, and

WHEREAS, default has been made by RICHARD COOMBS and MARIE COOMBS, his wife the parties of the first part in said Deed of Trust, in the payment of both principal and interest of said promissory note, and

WHEREAS, on the 22nd day of April, 1924, said ALICE MANGOLD and ALICE MANGOLD as Administratrix of the Estate of MICHAEL MANGOLD, deceased, made, executed, delivered and acknowledged and caused to be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, a Notice of Election to sell the property described in said Deed of Trust to satisfy the obligation created by said Deed of Trust and promissory note thereby secured, and

WHEREAS, more than three months have elapsed since the recording of said notice, and

WHEREAS, said ALICE MANGOLD, and ALICE MANGOLD as Administratrix of the Estate of MICHAEL MANGOLD, deceased beneficiaries under the terms of said Deed of Trust, and the present owner and holder of said promissory note, did on the 2nd day of December, 1924, notify the said JOHN FOSTER and E. PALMUTH, Parties of the second part and Trustees in said Deed of Trust, that default had been made in the principal and interest of said promissory note, and did demand that the said parties of the second part sell the premises in said Deed of Trust described, or such part thereof as in their discretion they should find necessary in order to accomplish the objects of said trust and to satisfy the indebtedness evidenced by said promissory note and secured by said Deed of Trust, and to pay the expenses of enforcing and carrying out said trust and to pay attorney's fees;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the terms of said Deed of Trust and under and virtue of the power and authority given thereby and pursuant to said Notice of Election to sell and in pursuance of said notice and demand of ALICE MANGOLD, and ALICE MANGOLD as Administratrix of the Estate of MICHAEL MANGOLD, Deceased, beneficiaries under the terms of said Deed of Trust, JOHN FOSTER and E. PALMUTH, Trustees of said Deed of Trust, do hereby give notice that on the 3rd day of January, 1925, at 12 o'clock M. on said day, on the front steps of the County Court House, Redwood City, California, they will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, lawful money of the United States of America, the real estate hereinafter described. Said real estate will be offered for sale in one parcel, and sold to the highest bidder.

The following is a particular description of the land to be sold, to-wit:

All of that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 1 and that portion of Lot 2 which lies Southerly of a line drawn parallel to and 15 feet distant Northerly from the Southerly line of said Lot 2 in Block 10, as designated on the map entitled "Subdivision of Menlo Oaks, San Mateo County, Calif." which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, September 19th, 1919, in Volume 7 of Maps at pages 27 and 28.

Terms of Sale: Cash, in lawful money of the United States of America; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer; balance on delivery of deed, and if said balance be not paid, the ten per cent shall be forfeited and the sale shall be void.

JOHN FOSTER
E. PALMUTH
Trustees.

L. H. SHAPIRO, Attorney-at-Law, 321 Balboa Bldg., San Francisco, Calif.

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NEWS OF MENLO PARK

Captain A. E. Udenberg, located at the Presidio, San Francisco, has purchased two of the eight cottages south of Watlington Park, Atherton. The captain will reside in one of and the other is to be leased to a friend.

Edward Reiter, the local capitalist, has bought a track of land, ocmprising 126 acres of land just outside the city of San Jose, which is to be sub-divided and placed on the market at an early date. The sale was negotiated by Mark McCann, the realty broker.

John B. Campadonico, the well-known San Francisco capitalist and business man, this week bought the old Butterfield property at Atherton, consisting of 13 acres. The realty fronts on the Middlefield road and runs back to the railroad track. A fancy figure was paid for the holding which in early days was owned by the late William Butterfield, the pioneer auctioneer of San Francisco. Butterfield was a quaint character, but as an auctioneer had no equal. Campadonico is the owner of the strawberry farm further down on the Middlefield road. It is believed he will plant the thirteen acres to strawberries. If he does many of the massive and age-old oaks on the tract will become victims of the cruel woodman's ax.

W. T. Casey, the noted hunter and local sportman, is planning a duck preserve at Ravenswood, at the rear of the Sullivan ranch. Water from the new well on the property will be piped to the preserve, to form a large and shalow pond that will be bated properly for the birds. It's an ideal location, close to the marsh, and only a short distance from the bay. Casey, who is an expert in duckology, knows how to lure the birds to the pond. He has reckoned without his host in his planning. Work on the Dumbarton bridge will commence shortly after the first of the year and the noise of the pile drivers is likely to freighten the ducks away. However Casey is willing to take a chance. Columbus took one.

Doheney, the oil magnate, is planning to enter the gasoline field in competition with the local oil companies. His representatives this week bought a parcel of land on College and the highway, down from the San Francisquito creek bridge, comprising 125 feet frontage on the highway. A station is to be established there for the sale of his products. Doheny is a former San Mateo county man, having lived at Halfmoon Bay for several years, about twenty years ago, and before fortune smiled upon him. He drilled for oil on the coast side of the county, but failed to strike the fluid. From here he departed for Mexico, where he struck it rich in the oil fields. Doheny, who is considered the ablest oil expert in the country, confided to friends before leaving Halfmoon Bay that he was certain that a great reservoir or strata of oil existed on the coast and whoever tapped this cistern would not only become a millionaire but would make San Mateo county one of the richest sections in the country. The late Senator C. N. Felton said the very self same thing many years ago, after he had expended the sum of $100,000 in drilling for the fluid that seemed to be playing hide and go seek with geologists. Of late oil men are flocking to the coast leasing ranches to bore for oil. Who knows but that the sleepy little city fringing on the ocean may awaken by the magic touch of oil and become a second Long Beach.

Mrs. Frank Erasisco of Menlo Park has returned from Columbus, Ohio, where she was called recently by the serious illness of her mother, whose health is reported much improved.

Mrs. Charles Wods of Menlo Park has taken a house on Byron street, between University and Hamilton avenues, and is remodeling it as a residence and house furnishing and garden shop.

Mrs. Charles Merrill has sold her property on the corner of Waverly street and University avenue, Palo Alto, to a Palo Alto businessman, for an amount close to $40,000. Mrs. Merrill purchased the realty a few years ago and through the sale this week has realized an attractive profit.

James Artino, Menlo's live businessman, is preparing plans for an addition to his new building. Jimmie believes in making big booms for Menlo Park. He is an enterprising citizen who is to be commended for his enthusiasm concerning the future of this place.

The fact that work will begin on the Dumbarton bridge right after the first of the year has caused much activity in real estate here. Real estate men are busy answering the inquiries of intending purchasers. Contractors are to house their men and teams here, so that the new year will dawn auspiciously for this section of the county.

James Scollin, a pioneer resident of this section, passed beyond the vale late Wednesday evening, after a lingering illness of over a year. He was born in Connecticut but spent his youth in Akron, Ohio. The lure of the west brought him over the Mississippi at an early age. During the construction of the Central Pacific railroad across the continent, he worked as a water tender for the contractors. He came to Menlo Park in the seventies, living in this vicinity ever since, and working in various capacities. A romance entered his youth at Akron that had much to do with his after life. A young and beautiful girl he was to wed passed from this life suddenly. He was heartbroken, and immediately turned his face to the far off west to forget if possible the memory of the one he loved. But such a thing could not be for the memory of that blue-eyed, fair-haired, pretty maiden of his youth, followed him even to the twilight of his life. He nevered married, and took very little interest in life, wandering about earning a meager existence. He appeared to be anxious for the time when he could close his eyes in the sweet slumber of death, believing by its solution he would be united with her, from whom he was separated in youth, in the sweet, pure realms beyond, and there to go hand in hand in singing the praises of the great and good Lord.

An important meeting of the National Council of Catholic Women was held Thursday afternoon in the Parochial hall with Mrs. Bazol presiding. It was decided to have a food sale today at the old post office building, across from the station. Mrs. Derry will have charge of the sale, and all who are anxious to contribute food for the sale should comunicate with her.

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Don't Be Too Hasty

The trouble with the mentality tests is that they grade intellect according to mental agility and cunning. Outside of geniuses, the highest grade of brain is slow thinking. If you have ever consulted a white-bearded philosopher, you know that the oracle hears your case, ponders it with deliberation, views it from all angles, then in a terse sentence utters the decision of wisdom. The fast thinker arrives at wrong conclusions oftener than the slow thinker.—Topeka Capital.

SUNDAY AT CHURCHES

MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH

Sundays—Mass at 7, 8, 10:30 a. m.
Holidays—Mass at 7 and 9 a. m.
Week days—Mass at 7 a. m.
Confessions on Saturday and eves of festivals from 3:30 to 6, and 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.
Sunday school in the church after the 8 o'clock Mass.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
R. J. Currie, Minister
Sunday

9:00 a. m. Junior Endeavor.
9: a. m. Intermediate.
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
Samaritan class for young men—Prof. John Gill, teacher.
Adult Bible class (inrest room) Prof. Anderson, teacher.
10:45 a. m. Church service.
10:45 a. m. Kindergarten.
10:45 a. m. Nursery.
6:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Church service.
Wednesday 2:00 p. m. Ladies' Circle.
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Ladies' Auxiliary.
Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Quartette rehearsal.
Thursday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal.
First Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p. m. luncheon and cabinet meeting.
Last Wednesday evening of the month—Prayer service and social gathering at 7:30 p. m.

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ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Washington and Webster Sts
E. H. Molony, Rector

Residence 228 Elwood. Phone 562
Hours of service: 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. At the eleven o'clock service the rector will preach on Trust and Divine Guidance. Vested Choir. Organist, Miss Clarissa Dodge; violin solo, Mr. Tinker. The public is invited.

Belmont
Church of the Good Shepher
Sunday School, Mrs. R. Hastings, superintendent, 10:30 a. m.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Maple Street

Rev. Harry Owen, D. D., pastor, residence 123 Stambaugh street, phone 235-W.
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Church Service 11:00 a. m.; Epworth League 6:30 p. m.; Church Service 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Auxilliary meets first Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. each month in the church. Ladies social, third Wednesday in each month. Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Japanese Bible school on Saturdays at 2:00 p. m.
The public is cordially invited to all services.

"NORTH OF 36," HOUGH NOVEL, PARAMOUNT FILM

"North of 36" is a film with as many hair-raising thrills as there are feet of film.

Produced by Irvin Willat from the novel by Emerson Hough and featuring Jack Holt, Ernest Torrence, Lois Wilson and Noah Beery in the leading roles, "North of 36," coming to Sequoia Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, December 15 and 16.

Here's a story of the pioneers—a story of Texas, that'll knock you right off your feet. The time is directly after the Civil war when the Lone Star state was almost broke and at a loss for a market for its herds.

Word comes through that such a market is to be found far up "north of 36," and a girl is the first to undertake the perilous venture—and Texas is saved.

If there ever was a real honest-to-goodness rival of "The Covered Wagon," this is it- The pictures are the same as far as bigness of production is concerned, but the stories are entirely different.

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Northern Lights

Prof. Lars Vegard, attached to Christiania university, by assuming that frozen nitrogen is responsible for the beautiful greenish hue that preceded any outbreak of the northern lights, has dissipated the mystery of the green hue that has always been unexplained by scientific men. The scientific world has not entirely accepted his assumption, but regards it as more satisfactory as an explanation than the old theory that certain luminous gases caused this exceptionally beautiful effect just before the fantastic flashes.

Wanted--For Sale For Rent--Etc.

HOUSE WORK WANTED— Lady desires general houes work either by day or hour. Phone Redwood City Auto Camp on the highway. 12-13-24

FRESH JERSEY COW—For Sale. Fresh three weeks. Apply C. W. Maxon, 463 Jefferson St.

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Christiansen has been director of music at St. Olaf College, Minnesota, since 1903. A native of Norway, he studied at Leipsig, Germany, under Gustav Schreck, cantor of St. Thomas Lutheran church in that city and a professor at the Royal Conservatory, where he had exceptional opportunities to acquire the knowledge of choir training which is demonstrated in his control of the St. Olaf group. On arrival in this country he at once began carrying out a long-cherished idea of establishing in the United States an organization similar to the St. Thomas Choir, and St. Olaf College provided the raw human material which he has so wonderfully developed. His work seems none the less marvelous when taken into consideration with the fact that his choir is thinned and recruited each year from the student body, members retiring as they graduate and new voices being selected to fill the vacancies.

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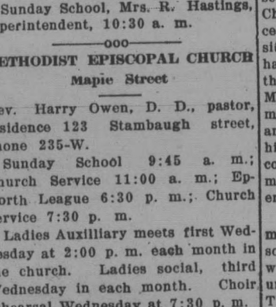
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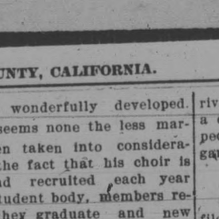
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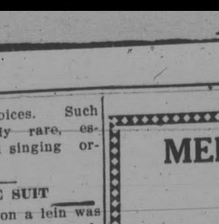


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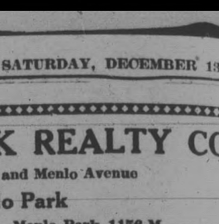
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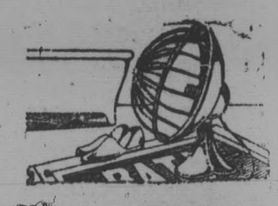
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